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Picturesque Pack Trains Over Trails Will Soon Be Only A Memory

Sale Of Corum Stables And Supply Train Marks End Of Romantic Era Here

SIERRA Madre's "burro days," when thousands of holiday-seekers "packed in" over the old Wilson and Sturtevant Trails for weekend outings, were recalled by old-timers yesterday, following announcement last week of the sale of Mrs. Cora Corum's home and stables in Sturtevant Canyon.

The city was pretty much of a "western" mountain town in those good old pre-war days, boasting probably more burro corrals to the square foot than any other town in the Southland, yet within one of the most peaceful and desirable of home communities in America.

Corrals had been maintained at the foot of the Wilson Trail almost from the time Don Benito Wilson chiseled the narrow thoroughfare out of the mountain-side back in the 1860's. The 7-mile trail was built to bring down Don Benito's cooperage timber from the mountains.

There were other corrals at the foot of Sturtevant Trail which led up to the hotel in Santa Anita Canyon established by Wilson M. Sturtevant, after whom the trail was named.

Still other corrals were scattered throughout the town, along Central avenue and Baldwin avenue and clustered along Mountain Trail avenue, especially after the car line came in. Here on weekends was a veritable beehive of activity as vacationists swarmed from the "trolley cars," hired their burros and departed up Mountain Trail avenue on two and three day camping trips.

Dudes and tenderfeet stopped at either the Santa Anita Canyon hotel or the Mt. Wilson hotel, but the majority of the trippers took their living quarters in with them, in the shape of pup tents and sleeping bags or were quartered in cabins at scores of camps scattered along the trails, mostly where there were streams or waterfalls. For food the camping hikers took along the regular staples—bacon, coffee and flour—and frequently baked their own bread in Dutch ovens at any one of a score of camps.

Many of these camps today are little more than memories. There was Carter's Camp in Little Santa Anita Canyon, operated by A. N. Carter from 1908 to 1910. There was Orchard Camp, run by Jim McNally, half way up the Wilson Trail. There was Winter Camp, now known as Hoegee's Camp, lately conducted by "Billy" Murphy. There were many others, Fern Lodge, Valley Forge, Opid's, Gray's and more—some full fledged camps, others hardly more than watering places. To many an old-timer their names today have a poignant, nostalgic ring—Pine Flats, Chilao, First Water, Chantry Flats, Sturtevant.

One of the largest burro corrals here was "Vint" Hoegee's at the foot of Wilson Trail. Hoegee also had a corral at the end of the car line, as did John Boyd, who at one time operated Fern Lodge. "Charlie" Chantry's corral also was on Mountain Trail avenue. "Mike" de Temple, now manager of Orchard Camp, had a corral about where the Woman's Clubhouse is now situated.

Other old-time pack train operators were George Carter, Lem Boardman, Jack Baird and Ben Rich, who at one time ran the Mt. Wilson Hotel.

Louis Newcomb, now living on West Grand View avenue, and "Will" Sturtevant, both of whom were pack train operators, built the Sturtevant Trail and opened Sturtevant Camp in 1894. Newcomb today recalls taking in, among other prominent visitors, the Shorbs and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, wife of the then-proprietor of the Palace Hotel at San Francisco.

Thanks to the burros there were few dull moments in those days.

Burro races were run on Thanksgiving Day back in 1908. They were run along Central avenue from Mountain Trail avenue to Baldwin avenue and back again and consisted of two events—one for speed and the other a "time killer." The boy who rode in last won. Prizes of \$5, \$3 and \$2 were put up. It was a big event for the town's young "burro jockeys."

As time passed the burros became more a source of trouble than anything else.

Along about 1910 "Jim" McNally accused Chantry of inter-

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Building On Upgrade As Strike Ends

Durham Plans New Homes To Be Located On W. S. Andrews Estate Here

Home construction, slowed up during the three-months maritime strike, slipped into high gear this week throughout Southern California.

Plans for new homes, delayed because of the interference of the strike with the transportation of building materials, are being hurriedly filled, and the temporarily hamstrung construction boom promises to hit a brisker pace than ever before.

Reports from all parts of the Southland indicate a shortage of homes, particularly for people with moderate incomes. The marriage rate is increasing and new families need new homes, it is pointed out.

California real estate has almost reached boom proportions, the state real estate association asserts. There appears to be a definite trend towards home ownership and adequate funds are available for home financing and interest rates and service charges seem to remain relatively low. The real estate market is becoming stronger and stronger.

Prices of residential lots in the newer subdivisions have shown an average increase of from 5 to 15 per cent over former prices.

Evidence supporting these statements is the announcement that W. B. Durham, designer and builder, has just purchased part of the W. S. Andrews estate at West Sierra Madre Blvd. and Michillinda Blvd. Durham will build two homes on the property. Plans are already drawn up for one of the homes, excavation for which got under way this week. Durham has just completed a home at 133 West Carter avenue for Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Murray of Long Beach.

The local Better Housing headquarters for this area, located in Monrovia city hall, reports keen interest on the part of the public in Federal housing insured mortgage system loans. Many interesting booklets on "How to have the house you want," "Modernize your home" and "Refinance your home" are available at the office.

New building permits have been issued to E. W. Reed, addition, 756 North Auburn; Mrs. Josephine Curtis, remodel, 50 West Mira Monte, and Dr. W. J. Barlow, garage, 675 West Highland.

All Art Shows To Be Held In Old Adobe

Artists Believe Little Gallery At City Hall Has Seen Last Of Exhibitions

Success of the "Old Adobe," hoped-for nucleus of a new and greater art center here, appeared assured following the recent Gleb Derujinsky exhibition which attracted hundreds of art lovers from all over Southern California.

More than hundred persons attended the closing day of the show. Nearly all of them were from out of town. During the one-week show no less than 25 persons called daily at the "Old Adobe."

Scanning these figures, many Sierra Madreans yesterday predicted all local art exhibits in future would be shown at the "Old Adobe," rather than at the city hall.

They pointed out exhibits have been hung in the city hall largely for lack of any other quarters. Pictures hardly showed to best advantage against the walls of the council room, they asserted, with the result that while possibly 30 or 40 persons turned out for the first day of a show, few if any persons showed up on succeeding days.

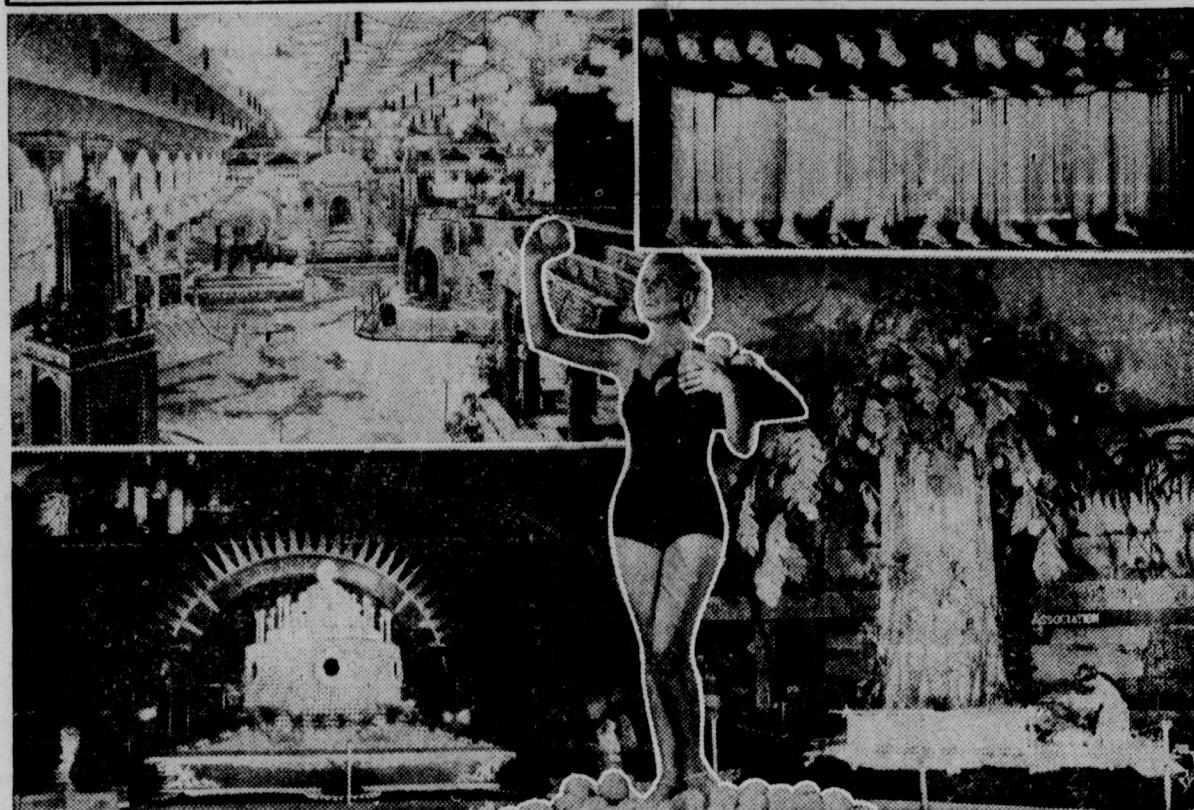
The "Old Adobe" offers a first-rate setting for art shows, many people maintain. With it now available as a show room, it is predicted art exhibitions here will take a new lease on life.

PACK TRAIN ON STURTEVANT TRAIL



This picturesque sight for long familiar to Sierra Madreans, will fade out with sale of the Corum pack animals and stables.

"GAY HOLLYWOOD" PROVIDES GLAMOROUS THEME FOR 27TH NAT'L. ORANGE SHOW, SAN BERNARDINO



Featuring a dazzling decorative motif depicting the glamour and brilliance of "Gay Hollywood," this year's National Orange Show at San Bernardino February 18-28, will be the greatest exposition of its entire 27 years.

The huge Orange Show buildings have been transformed into a glamorous and spectacular

Hollywood stage setting. More than 70,000 square yards of expensive velvets, satins and broadcloth were used in the decoration.

Seventeen cities, counties, communities and chambers of commerce will be represented in the feature section of the show.

Woman Critically Ill From Overdose Of Sedative

Suffering from an apparent overdose of elixir phenobarbital, Miss Mary E. O'Brien, 64, was rushed to the General hospital Wednesday afternoon in a critical condition.

The woman was found lying in a stupor in her apartment at the home of Dr. A. H. Brady, 129 Esperanza avenue.

Letters in her room indicated one of her relatives is Sister Bentita at St. James Convent, Albany, N.Y.

The case was investigated by Chief McMillan and Dr. M. H. A. Peterson.

Hollywood Stars Twinkle In Benefit

Hollywood stage and screen luminaries unmindful of personal discomfiture braved the almost record rain and slippery, treacherous highways to take part in a vaudeville show here Saturday night for the benefit of the homeless thousands in the flood stricken areas and through their unselfish efforts raised the sum of \$260, which has been placed in the hands of the Sierra Madre chapter of the American Red Cross.

The audience voiced its appreciation of the various acts by its spontaneous applause and curtain calls were frequent. It was a corking good show and well worth many times the price. The idea of holding the benefit originated with Pat West, who through his wide acquaintance among theatrical folk secured the talent and then followed up by acting as master of ceremonies in his usual inimitable manner.

The high spot of the evening

was reached when Miss Mozelie Britton was introduced. She is the wife of Alan Dinehart, famous character actor screen star. Dinehart had promised to come to Sierra Madre but was obliged to work at his studio and Mrs. Dinehart made the trip alone to represent him and to do her bit, if asked. She is an accomplished pianist and played two classical numbers, then she returned to take a bow so vociferous was the applause. Mrs. Dinehart wore a stunning silver colored gown and her personality made a tremendous hit.

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to paint school busses red, white and blue, the speaker said. Another legislator wants to stage a national egg-laying contest. Still another seeks to prohibit persons

from keeping animals and poultry in apartments and rooming houses.

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year give the merchants a chance to make a little money."

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Allen-Neale Realty Firms Consolidated

Circulate Petitions To Have New Subdivision Taken Off Local Phone Exchange

Announcement was made yesterday of the consolidation of the real estate and insurance businesses of City Judge Tom W. Neale and Mrs. Cecily A. Allen. The consolidation became effective at noon and transfers Mrs. Allen's real estate and insurance business to Judge Neale, who will continue to operate the consolidated business at 86 West Sierra Madre Blvd., opposite the City Hall.

In announcing the sale of her business to Judge Neale Mrs. Allen said yesterday it is probable she will enter a more specialized type of business in the future, along the line of property development.

Judge Neale needs no recommendation as a real estate and insurance man will carry on the business with his customary efficiency," Mrs. Allen said.

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Mrs. Bovard Quits School Board; Mrs. Hinckley Succeeds

Resignation of Mrs. Gilbert S. Bovard, for nine years a member of the Sierra Madre school board, was accepted at a meeting of the board Monday afternoon. Her resignation has been forwarded to County School Superintendent A. R. Clifton.

To fill the vacancy the board will suggest the appointment of Mrs. Henrietta Hinckley, 541 Orange Grove avenue.

Mrs. Hinckley, a former teacher in Ohio, is second vice-president of the Parent-Teachers Association. She has two children both in school here.

Mrs. Bovard will leave about

March 1 to visit relatives in Mason City and Belmont, Iowa.

Mrs. Bovard was a member of the board that is responsible for Sierra Madre's magnificent school building.

At the daily luncheon meetings

of the Wistaria Association in the Coffee Shop at the Sierra Madre Hotel it has been arranged that members of the Sierra Madre Woman's Club will serve afternoon tea under the pergolas at the vine during the Fete, while the St. Rita's Altar Society, under the direction of Mrs. R. M. Evans, will again handle the candy booth.

The association has also

acquired 18 rose bushes of dif-

ferent varieties. These will be

planted on the inside of the wa-

lls where they will show off to best

advantage in combination with

the delicate-hued lavender of the vine's blossoms.

Meanwhile members of the Wistaria Association and committees

representing the city's various

civic organizations are now meet-

ing daily at the Sierra Madre

Coffee Shop from 12:15 to 1:30 p.m. for luncheon and dis-

cussion of plans and progress of

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HISTORICAL DRAMA AT THE PLAYHOUSE

Pasadena again claimed the largest beam from the spotlight of Western theatrical events when "Murder in the Cathedral" received its Pacific Coast premiere at the Community Playhouse on Tuesday evening.

T. S. Eliot's famous play, a smash hit of international proportions, deals in stark and stirring terms with the deliberate and awesome murder of Thomas A. Becket, 12th Century Archbishop of Canterbury. It will run until February 20.

CHURCHES

Bethany Church

The Little Stone Church
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Sunday—

9:30 a.m.—Bible School
11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship
Subject, "Studies in Ephesians."
6:15 p.m.—Christian Endeavor Societies.

7:30 p.m.—Evening meeting
Subject, "The Fruit of the Crucified Life."

Tuesday—Regular monthly meeting of the Board of Elders and Deacons.

Wednesday—7:30 p.m.—Roy L. Brown, the Detroit business man with Biblical messages. You are invited to hear this man.

Associated Christian Youth (Nippone) Convention in our church February 19, 20, 21.

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Sundays—7:30 and 11 a.m.
9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

Wednesday—7:30 a.m.—Holy Communion
Thursdays—10 a.m.—Holy Communion and meditation.

6:30 p.m.—Church and Family Box Supper and short musical service at 7:30.

Fridays—2:30 p.m.—Women's Guild.
4 p.m.—Intercessions.

Confirmation classes by arrangement.

Congregational

Rev. Arthur O. Pritchard, Pastor
"Pilgrims of the Way" will be the topic of the morning sermon at 11 o'clock by the Pastor.

On Tuesday at 12:30 the Women's Society have their monthly missionary luncheon. Dr. E. D. Gaylord of Los Angeles will be the guest speaker.

Young People at 6:30 p.m.
Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.

St. Rita's Church

Rev. Hyacinth Clarey, C.P., Pastor
Sunday Masses—6:30, 8:00 and (High Mass) 11 a.m.

Week-day Masses, 6:45 a.m.
Tuesday Evening—Devotions, 7:45 p.m.

Friday—Stations, 7:45 p.m.

Christian Science

First Church of Christ Scientist of Sierra Madre is a branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

9:30 a.m.—Sunday School.

11 a.m.—Sunday Service.

"Soul" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon on Sunday in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

8 p.m., Wednesday—Testimonial meeting.

Reading Room open daily, 2-4 p.m. Public cordially invited.

Sierra Madreans To Address Pasadena Flower Lovers

Mrs. W. J. Lawless and Perley Poore Sheehan will address a panel-discussion meeting of the Pasadena Flower Show Association at the Pasadena Public Library next Friday at 7:30 p.m. The meeting will be open to the public and amateur gardeners are cordially invited.

Mrs. Lawless will discuss the Wistaria Fete. Mr. Sheehan will be in general charge of the meeting.

Benefits which may come to gardens because of the recent cold weather will be the general topic to be considered with special reference to the preparation of garden material for the association's spring show.

The meeting has been arranged especially for the amateur gardener who does his own work. If the speakers fail to speak of his special problems, he is invited to ask questions. The general idea is to replace the damage done to shrubs and gardens by the unheard of continued cold spell that burned thousands of gardens black and left areas looking dismal and unhappy where everything had been colorful and gay.

Fire Flames

By One of the Boys

HERE will be much hand shaking and back slapping tonight when the firemen meet at the station for the regular drill and meeting, for we have just ended a "three-weeker." Not having had a fire call nor an occasion for a meeting, most of the fellows have stayed in close to their own hearths for the past three weeks. Marion Hays, however, almost lived near the station and on the streets during the recent heavy rain storms.

Since the capture of the "sluggers-bandits" by Pasadena police, the local men are resting much easier. They have been on special duty for many nights at different sections of the city during the reign of terror caused by these criminals.

Not long ago, Harlan Gerlach was on traffic duty, when a movie scene was being taken within our city limits. A very pretty lady—not too old—failed to stop until Harlan ran in front of her automobile.

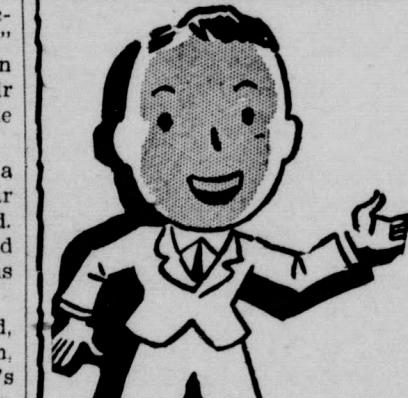
"Don't you know what I mean when I hold up my hand?" asked Gerlach.

"I ought to," answered the lady. "I taught school for a number of years." And Jim Heasley who was nearby yelled to Harlan, "I guess that will excuse you for a while." Fire's out.

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First Classes In Sign Writing And Cartooning Start

The first lesson in cartooning and sign writing at the Sierra Madre school began on Tuesday under the tutelage of Roger Armstrong.

These classes are free to adults and children and are held every Tuesday from 2 to 5 p.m. in the board room. Mr. Armstrong uses a simple, unique method of instruction, insuring benefit to even the most unskilled. Everyone is welcome.

Latest Addition To Business District Is Liquor Store

The latest addition to Sierra Madre's business district is a retail liquor store, which opened Monday at 12 West Sierra Madre Blvd. The store is known as "Happy's Liquor Store" and is owned and operated by Leo Mendel who has been engaged in this line of business since the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment. Mendel owns similar stores in Monrovia and Alhambra.

Dead Air Pilot Worked With West In Movie Flicker

A. R. (Tommy) Thompson, pilot of the United Air Lines plane that plunged into San Francisco Bay shortly before 9 o'clock Tuesday night, was a close friend of Pat West, secretary of the Sierra Madre Chamber of Commerce.

"Tommy was a great stunt flyer," West said. "He worked off and on in pictures as a stunt flyer before taking a job as pilot with United. I worked with him in scenes in his last picture, 'Ceiling Zero.' He was a great guy."

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LESTER FENNEL WEDS SAN FRANCISCO GIRL

A WEDDING of interest to many Sierra Madreans was announced this week, when Lester Haines Fennel was united in marriage to Miss Jeanette Veronica Fuccillo, daughter of Anthony Fuccillo, of San Francisco. The ceremony was performed Saturday afternoon at St. Mary's Cathedral in San Francisco with only close relatives and friends of the bride and groom present.

The bride was attired in a lovely white silk evening gown trimmed with silver sequins. Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson of Berkeley, close friends of the bride and groom were the only attendants.

Mr. Fennel is the son of Mrs. Estelle Fennel, former owner of the giant Wistaria estate, and is associated with the Pan-American Airways, as meteorologist, making test flights in and out of Alameda in his capacity as weather forecaster for the airline.

A dinner and reception in the Persian Room of the Drake hotel followed the ceremony. The couple left Sunday evening for Palm Springs on their honeymoon trip and will be at the home of Mrs. Estelle Fennel in Los Angeles this (Friday) evening. A reception is being given Saturday evening by Miss Viola Fennel, sister of the groom, honoring the newly married couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Fennel will then return to Alameda to reside until about March 1, when they will depart for Manila on the China Clipper for a three year sojourn. Mr. Fennel's work will consist of keeping pilots informed of weather conditions between the islands and Guan.

SOCIAL NOTES

Mrs. R. C. Lewis entertained formally Tuesday afternoon with a luncheon at her home, BellaVista Terrace. Guests included Mrs. S. B. Echlin and Mrs. L. Johnson of Los Angeles, and Miss Mary Barker of Janesville, Wisconsin, who is spending the winter in California.

A valentine party, from 4 until 5 o'clock Tuesday afternoon has been arranged by the Junior Music Club at the home of Mrs. Edna Croan, 304 W. Sierra Madre

Cheyney Twins Will Celebrate Their Eighth Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cheyney's twin boys, Ralph and Trent, will be eight years old next Friday, February 19.

They were born in Chicago, first saw the light of day at 3 a.m. and opened their eyes on what was one of the coldest days in the Windy City's history. Two hours before their birth Mrs. Cheyney was going over the final proofs of one of her books.

The Cheyney's plan to take the boys to Los Angeles for dinner and to a show afterwards.

BEERY AND ROBSON AT ARCADIA THEATRE

"Old Hutch," starring Wallace Beery, and "Rainbow on the River," with May Robson, Chas. Butterworth and Louise Beavers are showing today and tomorrow at Gillette's Arcadia Theatre.

Opening Sunday and showing through Tuesday is "Winterset," the film version of Maxwell Anderson's New York stage hit, with Burgess Meredith, Margot and Eduardo Cianelli. On the same bill is "Easy to Take," featuring Marsha Hunt, Eugene Pallette and John Howard.

Coming Wednesday is Shirley Temple in "Stowaway" and Warner Oland and Boris Karloff in "Charley Chan at the Opera." The bill closes Saturday night.

ONE IN A MILLION" AT THE LYRIC THEATRE

"One in a Million," starring Sonja Henie, world-famous ice skater, opens today at the Monica Lyric Theatre. The supporting cast includes Alice Faye, Adolphe Menjou, Ned Sparks and the Ritz Brothers.

On the same bill is "Great Guy," starring James Cagney and Mae Clark. Fans will remember Cagney and Miss Clark as the stars of "Public Enemy," the gangster opus of several seasons back. In "Great Guy" Cagney sides with the law, playing a U.S. government inspector.

DRAMA GUILD GO-GETTERS WILL ELECT OFFICERS

The presentation of a dialogue "I Give Up," by Doris Pickett and Dorothy Hogan, featured the evening program of the Go-Getters Group held at the City Park house, Friday evening. Ivan Karloff, instructor of the Academy of the Danse was a guest of the club. Election of new officers will be held at the next regular meeting Friday evening.

Junior Women Will Aid Flood Victims By Dance Proceeds

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Blvd. A program will be given by the pupils of Mrs. Croan and plans will be completed for the Easter party, complimenting the Monrovia Music Club. All music lovers are welcome to attend as guests of the club.

A Valentine party with Mrs. H. M. Wilhelm and Miss Jessie Dunning as co-hostesses, was enjoyed Monday evening, when 25 members and friends of the Friendship Club met at the Congregational church parlors. A talk was given by Mrs. Maybelle Barker on the "Friendship of Damon and Pythias." Games and entertainment were in keeping with the Valentine motif as well as the refreshments that were served by Mrs. Wilhelm and Miss Dunning at the close of the evening.

Altadena Author Wins Club Women With Own Poems

"Nothing else in my life demanded as much courage as first knocking on the door of Dreamers' House in Sierra Madre, but you all know what happens when the Cheyneys welcome you in: the help and inspiration you get!" Mrs. Francis Smith Johnson told the 30 poetry-lovers assembled in the Sierra Madre Woman's Club auditorium last Thursday afternoon at the regular first-Thursday-of-the-month meeting of the poetry section.

Visitors from Los Angeles, South Pasadena, Altadena and other neighboring communities as well as club members heard Mrs. Johnson. After being charmingly introduced by Lucia Trent as chairman of the poetry section, this Altadena author of "Swan in the South," a book of poems she herself illustrated, read many of her poems in a most pleasing manner, completely winning the audience, which demanded more and more. As usual, much of the cream of current books of poetry was presented by Lucia Trent. The poems of the afternoon, those brought by poets for reading and criticism, were characterized by one person as "the best poems I have heard at any such meeting." Lucia Trent announced that at the next poetry section meeting, to be held at two o'clock on March fourth, the guest speaker will be Betty Schermerhorn, of Arcadia, recently appointed to the board of editors of "Horizons."

The January 30th issue of "Saturday Night" mentions "the fine work the Cheyneys are doing in fostering good poetry," and declares, "they must have support from the public."

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No Apostrophe Here; H. B. Cant Will Be Legion Adjutant

H. B. Cant was elected adjutant of the America Legion Post, when the group met Monday evening for its regular "crab" session at which those present had an opportunity to voice their opinion on questions at hand. Other officers appointed were Harold Roberts as chairman of the Americanism committee with Mrs. Leila Roberts and R. O. Caukin. Mrs. Dona Robertson was elected historian, replacing Jack Mitchell. It was also decided that sons of the Legion would not be organized this year.

Sunday morning a 9 o'clock breakfast will be served at the Legion clubhouse in Azusa for the Americanism and publicity chairman of the 18th district and their committees.

HUMPHRIES MAKING A GOOD RECOVERY

W. R. Humphries, former long-time Sierra Madrean and now living in Arcadia, returned to his home yesterday from Los Angeles hospital where, for two weeks, he had been recuperating from a major operation.



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Announcement

By Tom W. Neale

Effective this date I have bought and assumed control of the real estate and insurance business heretofore conducted by Mrs. C. A. Allen at 18 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, adding to my strong list of insurance agencies the biggest and most reliable of the great companies until now represented in this community by Mrs. Allen.

I have assumed personal charge of and will devote my entire time and attention to the insurance feature of the consolidated business, so that my clients—new and old—will have the benefit of my long experience in writing all kinds of insurance. It will be a major feature of the business—not a sideline.

I have appointed Mr. Joe T. Russell to take charge of the real estate and rental departments and he will specialize in this particular line, giving our clients the benefit of his knowledge of local real estate values. He will be glad to list your property and has many inquiries for homes here.

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The Lord is thy keeper: the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand.—Ps. cxvi. 5.

In the exercise of faith and love, I endure and perform whatever came in God's providence, in submission, in thankfulness, and silence.—Madame Guyon.

THERE MUST BE A WAY

Surely a government that has assumed so many other responsibilities can find a way to stop the epidemic of strikes the destructive effect of which menace the social and economic welfare of the Nation. They are an intolerable threat to progress and security. In addition to the frightful economic loss they entail, they are gnawing at the very vitals of law and order, creating disrespect for all laws and exalting mob violence. A government that feels itself strong enough to determine the size of the Nation's crops, the number of hogs that may be raised and generally undertake regulation of economic conditions should feel itself strong enough to outlaw strikes—make them a high crime. It should certainly be possible under the law to create some unbiased agency or tribunal, 100 per cent divorced from politics, that could pass upon disputes between the employer and employee, with the assurance that public opinion and the government would stand behind its findings.

It will take years to fully recover from the disastrous effects of the great maritime strike, happily now ended. The West coast generally and California particularly have suffered frightfully and almost every line of business in the country has been made to help bear the burden of the unpardonably lawless sit-down nonsense the government is permitting to go on in plants of the General Motors corporation.

Worse than the financial loss, staggering as it is, these strikes have encouraged others in which wages, working conditions and hours of labor were not in question. They have bred intolerance, disorder, and flaunted the basic idea that the government is pledged to protect life and property.

General Motors employees lost approximately \$6,156,661 in wages up to January 15, the computation being made on the basis of a daily average loss of \$7 to each workman. At the same time the sit-down strikes were estimated in an unofficial survey by the Associated Press to have cost the company and the employees close to \$10,000,000. Every community in which there has been a strike has suffered from the stoppage of wages.

Advertising schedules have been extensively canceled.

Nearly 10 percent of the Nation's cotton crop in 1935 went into motor vehicle manufacturing use. Thirty-one percent of leather produced; 40 per cent of the mohair; 51,000,000 pounds of hair and padding, and tremendous quantities of flaxseed, linseed oil, soy beans, animal fat, corn sugar cane, wool, canvas, felt—all of which are farm products, lost to the great automobile market while the industry is tied up by strikes. Farmers, of course, are badly hit by cancellation of orders for these materials, even though they do not sell direct to the industry.

In every community of our broad land there are General Motors dealers and a wide variety of business establishments and individuals directly affected by the strike—and thus the damage spreads until it affects, in some way or another, the affairs of a very large part of the whole American public.

Only a fraction of those who are denied employment in the factories in Michigan, Ohio, New York, New Jersey, California, Illinois, Maryland, Missouri, Tennessee, Indiana, Wisconsin, Georgia and other states have any dispute with the employers. Very unjustly they are drawn into the strike.

Two months ago there was general rejoicing throughout the nation because the automobile industry was manufacturing and selling more cars than at almost any time in history. The stockholders reports showed satisfactory profits; employment was at the top, and the news was filled with reports showing how the depression and unemployment was being licked.

The.... Watch Tower

By Perley Poore Sheehan

SIERRA MADRE, Barbizon—Barbizon, Sierra Madre. Let's get the hook-up lodged firmly in our minds. Because, honestly, we think there is an idea here that may prove stimulating to that new Chamber of Commerce of ours. Barbizon's about the size of Sierra Madre. It lies at the same distance from Paris that we do from Los Angeles. And as for transportation, say! If our P.E. and the Barbizon outfit met, they'd kiss each other as members of the same family, practically twins. But here's the point. Barbizon has at least five good hotels—all of them flourishing, one of them downright swell. With guests who come back year after year; or, having come, never leave. Yet Barbizon has no Chamber of Commerce. It never did have. Then, how come?

WE got to thinking about this the night we went down to the Woman's Club and saw that beautifully put-on play, "The Late Christopher Bean." First, because of Corot (ko-ro). For, as you recollect, that poetic and superb painter of landscapes was, himself, a sort of French Christopher Bean. Appreciated until he was dead. When, all of a sudden, the price of his work went sky-rocketing. Then, his paintings multiplying too. So fast, and inexhaustibly, in fact, that there began to be a legend that the great Corot couldn't be dead, after all. Until they discovered that there was a poor devil—now the slave of a master-mind—who could paint "Corots" as good as Corot himself ever did. And a good deal faster.

BUT to get back. Corot starving in a Paris attic. And others like him. Yet with a hunger in their hearts greater than their hunger for bread. It was a hunger for beauty—with a capital "Beauty!" So they drifted out in search of it. How they ever happened to pick on Barbizon no one knows. Paris is surrounded by old and beautiful forests, as all our former doughboys will recall—forming the exterior military zone of Paris, as the French army chiefs call it: Vincennes, Meudon, St. Germain, Fontainebleau, and so on. Barbizon is in the Forest of Fontainebleau, not very far from the city of Fontainebleau itself. But—at the time we're writing about—sleepy, Peaceful, Backward. And—Beautiful. Just like Sierra Madre.

BUT Sierra Madre, as it is today, has a hundred years start on Barbizon—as Barbizon was when Corot went there. We have our Wistaria Vine. We have Mr. Dewey's art center. We have the Old Barn. And the occasional fine exhibitions of paintings that Mr. Morse puts on for us in the City Hall. We have our whole colony of artists and writers. We were down at the Eakmans' the other evening, for example, and the display of talent there—in music, dancing, poetry and the appreciation of these was an inspiration. But in that early Barbizon, none of this. Just peasants and bourgeois. Mildly shocked and more than mildly suspicious—when the artists came. *Des artistes!* They haven't even any baggage. Starvelings! What are they good for!

WELL, who were some of these starvelings—besides the angelic Corot. There was, for example, Millet—whose "Angelus" was to become what is, perhaps, the most popular picture ever painted; and whose "Man With The Hoe" was to become such a lucky break for our own Edwin Markham. Then, there was Daubigny, Ziem, Diaz, William Morris Hunt; and a crowd of others—founders and formers of what is known today throughout the whole world of art as the "Barbizon School." Also, lest we forget, that droll, gangling, young Scotch good-for-nothing, Robert Louis Stevenson. And what a nut he was! Long hair. A velvet coat. For loafers like him have always had a weakness for artists, and artists for them.

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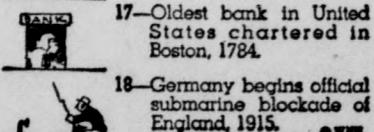
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GAMBLING LEGISLATION HOLDS ATTENTION OF SOLONS AT SACRAMENTO

By Ralph Taylor
(Executive Secretary, Agricultural Council of California)

DUE to the lack of a dramatic cause, or a spectacular controversy, the 52nd California State Legislature may go down in the annals of history "unwet, unhonored and unsung!"

As the public views it, little of the legislation thus far proposed is of vital import. For the most part, it represents all of the "unfinished business" of bygone, busier sessions, together with a flood of post-depression bills, some of real importance, perhaps, but few that will linger in public memory.

Out of the muck of miscellaneous legislation, however, may come constructive action on myriad lesser issues which, taken together, might have real bearing on the welfare of California's agriculture, business and industry—if the legislature is content to do an uninteresting job wisely!

Gambling legislation promises to occupy much of the lawmakers' time. Literally scores of bills—prohibiting, legalizing and licensing dog racing, bookmaking, horse racing, etc.; legalizing slot machines and banning slot machines; setting up a state lottery and licensing pin games—are awaiting consideration. Both numerically—and in their publicity possibilities—the gambling bills seem to be "tops" this session with liquor legislation, almost as varied, as runner-up.

Delving into human relations, there are bills to abolish the so-called "gin marriage law," requiring a three-day wait before issuance of a marriage license; bills reducing the one-year interlocutory divorce period to nine months, and even three months, after the fashion in Reno; bills outlawing breach of promise and "heart balm" suits; bills adding insanity and incompatibility as

grounds for divorce, and several measures requiring physical examinations before the issuance of marriage licenses.

Under the general heading of labor and social legislation, there are bills to establish a 30-hour week in industry, bills which would create labor mediation boards to handle strike problems, measures which would prohibit interference with the orderly movement of food products and drugs during strikes, acts to require employers to carry the entire burden of social security legislation, the "veteran" short-term bill and measures upping pensions for the blind and aged from \$35 to \$50 per month.

Measures designed to free Tom Mooney and to repeal the criminal syndicalism act, together with anti-spotter legislation and measures prohibiting ant-picketing ordinances, are among the other labor-sponsored bills.

On two matters of considerable importance, the Legislature took final action during the January session. First, it passed a permanent "in lieu" tax on automobiles—a measure desired particularly by the city districts. Until July 1, 1939, the state will receive 62 1/2 per cent of the revenue from the "in lieu" tax; after that date, the state will receive 20 per cent after payment of state highway bond interest and redemption and cost of collection—the counties and cities the balance.

Second in importance in the measures given final passage during the first half of the session was a bill extending the moratorium on mortgage and chattel mortgage foreclosures from February 1 to July 1. This bill was finally passed over the vigorous protest of a group of senators who served notice that they would oppose all further moratorium proposals.

NSEE WHERE



Persons arrested for drunken driving on the highways of California during September were nearly twice that of any month in State's history. Of the 3112 persons arrested for driving while intoxicated, 3072 were convicted.

Young America, seeking its life work, has a far greater selection than the young Americans of bygone generations. A recent survey has determined that there are 7,300 gainful occupations in the United States; 30 years ago there were only 1,800.

There has been much objection—without justification—to the fact that artists and sculptors, when they portray historical groups of early California, invariably give greatest prominence to miners, gamblers, dance hall girls and vigilantes. A more representative group might include Anza, the explorer; Portola, discoverer of San Francisco Bay; Father Serra, builder of the Missions, and General Fremont, the American.

It was New Years in Chinatown Los Angeles, or wherever there are Chinese, yesterday. Considering the fact that February 12 is Lincoln's birthday that does not seem possible, but the Chinese New Year is a movable feast regulated by the sun because the Chinese year is a lunar one.

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The New Year means much spiritually and physically to the old Chinese. It is a day to say prayers, pay debts, confess sins and weaknesses, and to clean up morally, generally. The Chinese women scour the homes, lecture the kids, and put everything on a new path from the highest of religious standpoint. Many persons think the Chinese are making "whoopie" when they shoot firecrackers. This is not true. The noise is to scare away evil forces—the belief of which is part of the Chinese religion.

There are not many people who, in setting out to learn more about their state, would think offhand of looking into the cauliflower industry in California. And yet in the central and southern sections of the state, more than fifteen thousand acres of fertile soil are devoted to cauliflower raising, and these areas supply the United States with more than seventy-five per cent of all that is consumed.

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MICKIE SAYS—

IT'S GENERALLY EASIER TO PAY YER BILL AT TH' NEWSPAPER SHOP THAN ANYWHERE 'ROUND TOWN, BECAZ IT TAKES LESS MONEY AN' THEY AINT NO PLACE WHERE YER MORE WELCOME

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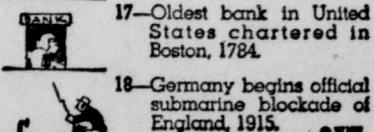
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ABOUT PENSIONS

To the Editor of the Sierra Madre News;

If I am not mistaken, one of the reasons the Supreme Court declared the NRA unconstitutional, was, it took from one class of citizens and gave to another. The law, they tell us, that favors one class of citizens above another is class legislation, therefore unconstitutional. I heard one of those same Supreme Judges over the radio a few days ago talking in defense of a pension for their own members when they got to be old.

Many Sierra Madre gardens withstood the shock of the freezing weather bravely, but others were not so lucky. Most of the semi-tropical flowers and banana trees were killed.

From my bedroom window on East Grand View a single stalk of poinsettia blossomed in all of its glory. I saw it every morning and marvelled that it kept alive as the orchard heaters were going full blast and from the valley below and black smoke clouds obscured everything from view. But that single stalk of poinsettia kept its head up defying the freeze. I rejoiced and let out a cheer, the way I used to when some guy hit a home run with the bases loaded.

I bragged about that poinsettia bloom to my friends. I felt sure it would stand the gaff, but the last cold morning I saw the bloom had flopped and drooped down the stalk. I am not as a rule sentimental but somehow or other the sight got my goat—it was like nursing a sick friend, watching him win his fight to live and then suffer a relapse and pass on. The following day I was finally passed over the vigorous protest of a group of senators who served notice that they would oppose all further moratorium proposals.

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The sale of the Corum estate, as told in THE NEWS last week, which marked the passing over a period of two decades of virtually the last important link between the old days and the present must have caused many of our old residents to reminisce and suffer feelings of sadness as they recalled the days of pack trains on our two principal mountain trails.

I have never seen a pack train nor climbed a mountain trail, but there must be many wonderful sights and thrills one cannot get from looking out the window of an automobile.

I am surprised that some feature writer with a little imagination has not painted a word picture of mountain trails right here in Sierra Madre—pack trains going out into the Sierra Madres a bare 15 miles from the heart of the greatest city on the Pacific Coast.

I have discovered that the quickest way to get your mail from Lamanda Park (3 miles distant) is to call for it in person rather than depend upon the post office department; that is if you are in a great hurry for a letter.

Here's the answer: A letter dropped into the Lamanda Park post office is first sent to the Pasadena post office, and from there to the Los Angeles post office where it is tossed into a sack of Sierra Madre mail and sent to the Santa Fe terminal. It comes then via Santa Fe to Santa Anita station where local post office employees pick up the sack and bring it by automobile to Mr. Caukin's station here for distribution.

It so happens that Sierra Madre has no direct postal service from Lamanda Park, the mail comes by way of Cape Horn, and apparently nothing can be done about it.

In the background, however, there lurks a specter that is pre-

Quick Picking Will Save Many Avocados Believed Lost

LETTERS From Readers

ABOUT PENSIONS

In attempting to help avocado growers save all marketable fruit before they fall to the ground from the slightly frosted stems, both packing houses of the Calavo Growers of California are working day and night.

Research by Dr. F. F. Hallinan of UCLA, State and county standardization officials has revealed that considerably more fruit is marketable than first estimated. However, these fruit on partially killed stems must be harvested quickly or they may fall to the ground.

Flavor and outside appearance, of fruit from slightly frosted stems, are just as good as fruit untouched by the frost, according to the research findings. The State Standardization Law recognizes that these fruit are just as edible and flavorful as those untouched. The only apparent result on slightly affected fruit is that a few fibres may stand out more than usual. Apparently the high, natural oil content of the fruit itself saved it the fate that befall so many of the fruit stems.

VENTING the growth and development of our community. That specter is old man "First Impression" and he has done more to hold back the growth of Sierra Madre than any other local agency because he has settled back in a disconsolate attitude that is reflected in the old time adage "Let George do it."

WHY CLEAN UP THE TOWN?—"Let George do it." The old shacks are good enough. If newcomers are looking for modern homes, "Let George build them." If our main thoroughfare needs brightening up to impress the visitor that here at last is a progressive city—"let George paint the buildings and plant the trees."

SELLING a community to the outside world, is exactly the same as successfully merchandising a new product. In the first place, a product must be styled right, built right and sold right. Just so with a city. It must first be styled right, then built right and then sold right.

Cities May Join To Save Water Rights

Sierra Madre And Arcadia To Consider Joint Ownership Of Santa Anita Line

A conference with Arcadia city officials will likely be the next stop in negotiations looking towards a solution of the water allocation problem which involves possible loss to Sierra Madre of four cubic feet of running water per second and 2000 acre feet per annum from Big Santa Anita Canyon.

This was revealed yesterday by city officials here. No definite date for the conference has been set, however.

Officials pointed out it might be possible to get the Federal government to put up 55 per cent of the cost of a pipe line between the canyon dam and Sierra Madre. Total cost of the pipe line is estimated at \$75,000.

But even should the financial question be ironed out, there remains the question of securing a right-of-way through the Oakmont subdivision, which lies directly across the path of the proposed pipe line.

Officials continued to remain skeptical whether the right-of-way would be granted.

GAS THIEF AT WORK

Theft of five gallons of gasoline from her car, which was parked in front of her house all night Monday, was reported to police by Mrs. L. G. Street, 145 Grove street.

— LEGAL NOTICE —

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE ON FORECLOSURE
No. 407972

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

HOME OWNER'S LOAN CORPORATION, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. LUCILLE B. WRIGHT, a single woman, et al., Defendants.

By the judgment and decree of the above entitled court in the above entitled action, entered and recorded on the 4th day of January, 1937, in judgment book 963 at page 9 et seq., wherein the above named plaintiff obtained judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale for the sum of Two Thousand, Four Hundred seven and 80/100 (\$2,407.80) Dollars, plus interest and costs, to which judgment and decree reference is hereby made, and by order of sale issued to me by the clerk of the court pursuant thereto, I am commanded to sell at public auction all of the following described premises, situate, lying and being in the City of Sierra Madre, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Lot Nine (9) and the east twenty (20) feet of Lot Eight (8) of Sierra Madre Valley View Tract, as per map recorded in Book 11, Page 21 of Maps, in the office of the County Recorder of said County.

Together with the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in any wise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 15th day of February, 1937, at 1:45 o'clock P.M. of that day, at the eastern and Spring Street entrance of the Los Angeles County Hall of Justice, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, I will sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be required in compliance with said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, to the highest and best bidder for cash.

JOHN A. GRAY,
Commissioner appointed by
said Court.

Attorneys:
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Monrovia, Calif.

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S. C. Coumbe, 521 Alta Vista Drive, left Monday for San Francisco on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. O'Connell are confined to their home, 38 East Mira Monte with the flu.

Mrs. Hallie Hogan, 30 South Michilinda Blvd., had as her guest Monday, her sister, Mrs. Velma Whittier, of Los Angeles.

Friends of Albert Gregory, North Michilinda Blvd., will be glad to know he is feeling much better since his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin C. Lewis returned Monday morning to their home at Bella Vista Terrace after a week-end spent at Long Beach.

Louis Neuman, Neil McCarron and Bill Murphy returned Sunday evening after spending the week end at the Neuman cabin, at Wrightwood, Big Pines.

Miss Jessie Dunning, 267 West Montecito avenue, left Friday for Reseda to spend several days with her friend, Miss Grace Riner.

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Commissioner appointed by
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Mrs. W. T. McKee is confined to her home, 618 W. Highland avenue due to illness.

Clarence Harmsen of Lynwood, is visiting in the Paul Ford home, Merrill avenue.

Miss Ruth Wheeling, who received her degree at UCLA last week, is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wheeling, 101 East Sierra Madre Blvd.

Mrs. Estella Fennel of Los Angeles spent Wednesday as guest at the H. C. Parker home, 192 North Baldwin avenue. She has just returned from San Francisco after attending the wedding of her son, Lester.

A. N. Adams of 69 Montecito Court, entertained as dinner guests at his home Tuesday, old time friends, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Strat of Helena, Montana who are visiting relatives in Glendale.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gaylord and small son Billy, returned to Glendale Sunday after spending several days at the home of Mrs. Gaylord's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Earl Gossard, 149 West Montecito.

Mrs. J. H. Robertson, state chairman of the California Federated Junior Woman's Club, returned Friday evening from a two-day state board meeting held in Los Angeles Thursday and Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Hartman on Monday attended meeting of the Sunkist Movie Makers Club at the Little Theatre in Padua Hills and reported a pleasant and entertaining evening. More than fifty members of the club were present. Dinner was followed by pictures by Dr. W. P. Magan and Jake Overholzer, of Covina, who recently returned from a four months tour of the Orient and Philippines.

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Shave Costs \$10 In Desert Town



C.N.P.A. Service
She really doesn't need a rope to get her man, but Betty Leach, pretty captain of Indio's feminine Whisker Vigilantes, refuses to take chances with smooth-shaven men. Platt Williams, the rope-encircled homb, has violated the edict that all Coachella Valley men must grow beards to create the proper atmosphere for the first annual Stampede and Desert Rodeo, to be held in Indio, Feb. 13-14. Jim Bunnell, bearded member of the Vigilantes, stands by ready to take the violator into kangaroo court.

Beck delivered the message. Mr. Beck, graduate of the Eugene Bible College is at present enrolled in the University of Oregon and is spending the semester vacation at the home of his parents in Long Beach.

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An exhibit of watercolors by Mrs. Margaret Gribenow Bode, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gribenow, 10 East Mira Monte avenue, is on view in Dabney Hall at the California Institute of Technology. The show is open to the public daily except Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Bode are leaving their Altadena home tomorrow on a trip to Europe where the Cal-Tech geologist will do research work and Mrs. Bode will continue her art studies.

Dr. Bode is the son of Dean and Mrs. Arnold G. Bode.

A member of the Southern California Watercolor Society and a regular exhibitor at its shows, Mrs. Bode's work was shown recently at the California Art Club in Hollywood.

Hugh Martin Olds, 64, brother of Mrs. C. L. Baird and Mrs. Henry W. Bullock, died Saturday at the Monrovia hospital. He was a candy maker employed at a Monrovia store.

Born in Johnson county, Mo., Mr. Olds had lived in California for the past three years. He made his home in Monrovia.

Besides his two sisters here, he leaves his wife, Mrs. Theresa Olds; two other sister, Miss Miranda Olds of Los Angeles and Mrs. G. Hallet Johnson of El Paso, Tex., and two brothers, O. J. Olds of Los Angeles and Ray K. Olds of Douglas, Wyo.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at Grant's Chapel, Dean Arnold G. Bode officiating. Interment was private.

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Shippey Tells The World About The Girl In His Book

Sierra Madreans and the Pacific Coast generally heard Lee Shippey discuss his new book, "The Girl Who Wanted Experience," over an NBC network at 5:30 Sunday. The broadcast went out from KPO in San Francisco and was released locally through KECA.

Shippey again affirmed that he hasn't put any Sierra Madreans in the book. At this, plenty of local listeners smiled slyly.

He revealed the newspaper man in the book is based pretty much on himself. After this admission, Sierra Madreans, who have already read the story and recall the editor's penchant for sending in scandal stories to the metropolitan papers, are going to watch their steps from now on.

You never can tell...

Red Cross Chapter Elects New Set Of Officers

Mrs. C. W. Bowen was elected chairman to succeed Mrs. Edna Holland at a special meeting of the Sierra Madre Chapter, American Red Cross on Monday.

Marian L. Vannier was elected first vice-chairman; Mrs. M. D. Welsher, second vice-chairman; C. W. Jones, treasurer, and Louise Judson, executive-secretary.

Directorate and committee chairmen will be announced later, following a meeting of the executive committee.

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Conservation Week Set For March 7-14

Governor Merriam Stresses Importance Of Protecting Forests, Streams

Sounding a call to arms to all nature lovers, Gov. Frank F. Merriam yesterday proclaimed the week of March 7-14 as Conservation Week.

"It is of great import that we use and protect our natural resources, our beautiful forests and other native flora, our wild life, streams, lakes and seashore, in such a way as to preserve their value and beauty," the governor said. "We must prevent forest fires, soil erosion, and the depletion of water resources. Public opinion must be mobilized. It is fitting that the period beginning March 7, Luther Burbank's birthday, which is California's Conservation, Bird and Arbor Day, should be set aside as Conservation Week. I request all interested departments, organizations, agencies, groups and individuals, and particularly the schools of the state, to recognize and encourage the observance of Conservation Week."

The program of the California Conservation Council, which includes among its members many agencies directly in touch with the needs of the states, includes the following points of general interest:

Correlation of conservation activities; furtherance of education of conservation; increasing recreational opportunities by means of publicly-owned parks, forests, refuges, as well as providing wilderness areas from which man may be excluded; encouraging reforestation and pest control; preservation of native plants of all kinds; fire prevention; development and conservation of water resources; development of work of soil conservation and use of submarginal lands; protection of wild life and life of the waters; protection of beaches, and enforcement of conservation laws and passage of better ones.

BIG DAY FOR IOWANS

The biggest event of the year for the Iowans in California is the mammoth picnic reunion to be held all day Saturday, February 27th in Lincoln Park, Los Angeles. If rainy that date, the picnic goes over one week to March 6th. A large section of the park is laid out to conform to the home state and the counties are all placed as on the map for registration and meeting friends.

Stop Your Cars for School Buses!



Motorists either meeting or overtaking a school bus halted on any highway outside of a business or residence district to load or unload pupils must come to a full stop and then proceed not faster than ten miles an hour for a reasonable distance, warn the public safety department of the Automobile Club of Southern California. That's the State law, to which attention is called because complaints are continually received from various districts of children's lives being endangered by violators. Such negligence frequently has tragic consequences. Penalties range from a fine not exceeding \$50 or imprisonment not over ten days in the county jail for the first offense to double for a second offense within a year, and a fine up to \$500, imprisonment up to six months, or both, for a third offense. The automobile club urges drivers to guard against these hazards to children.

PTA Founders Day Program February 18

Local Artists And Past-Presidents To Participate—Kids Show Today

The rapidly-approaching Founders' Day program to be presented by the Sierra Madre P.T.A. is being given its final touches for the big day, Thursday, February 18 at 2:30 p.m. February 25th was previously announced—disregard that date.

This occasion will serve to honor all Past Presidents, far and near.

The committee has been most zealous in endeavoring to reach everyone, but it seems some addresses have been mislaid during the past years, making it impossible to contact several past presidents. In this event the P.T.A. wishes those persons not reached to consider themselves most cordially invited.

Mrs. H. Randolph Wood will sing a number of solos; Miss Lalla Fagge will entertain with her violin, and Miss Moreland Kortkamp will be at the piano.

Mrs. Lee Shippey and the mothers of the chorus have expended much time upon this program.

And this is the day, believe it or not, February 12, 3 p.m., when Billy Barty will walk across the boards of the Sierra Madre stage. His sisters, Dolores and Evelyn, are included on the bill. Besides their singing and dancing numbers, they intend to show a picture: "Trailing the Killer."

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Added Racing Day Yields \$40,000 For Flood Sufferers

Twelve thousand fans poured a total of \$409,808 through the pari-mutuels at Santa Anita Park Monday to aid the Red Cross flood relief fund. Six per cent of the "take," plus "breakage," is counted as profit.

The full net return from the day's wagering, together with profits from gate receipts, income from concessions and donations of the day's pay to employees, was turned over to the Red Cross.

Horsemen at Santa Anita voluntarily contributed \$3500 to the Red Cross, the Turf Club starting the list with \$1000.

ON THE SPOT

Tourist—Don't stand there like a fool, man. Run and get the village doctor.

Native—Sorry, Mister, that's him you just run over. —Path-finder.

Fade-Out Of Smudge Seems Closer Thru Co-operation

oily smoke, was voted by the county board of supervisors Tuesday.

The board will confer with representatives of the citrus industry and the orchards heating improvement committee of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce to draft an order to ban open pots and replace them with modern smudgeless hearters.

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RED SALMON

Mothers Of Sierra Madre Lead In PTA Pasadena Affair

Parent-Teacher Association of Wilson Junior high school and Willard elementary school were joint hostesses to the Pasadena Parent-Teacher Association Council meeting Monday in Willard Auditorium.

Commencing with the flag salute, the morning program included a business meeting, presided over by Mrs. Jay B. Rinehart, president. A pageant, "Founders' Day," directed by Mrs. Waverly E. Pratt and presented by Wilson mothers, depicted the essentials and ideals for enriching the life of the child and the Nation.

The pageant opened with Dorothy Parmenter and Patsy Reid, students, dancing the minuet. The various ideals were portrayed by the following mothers: Mrs. H. B. Hersey, history; Mrs. John Spoelstra, home life; Mrs. J. D. Goss, health; Mrs. C. Trycross, learning; Mrs. P. E. Naylor, vocational guidance; Mrs. A. Pernambuc, leisure; Mrs. A. R. Henry, citizenship; Mrs. H. Clay Reavis, spiritual training, and Mrs. Pratt, world peace.

Throughout the program, special attention was given to the fact that 1937 marks the fortieth anniversary of the National Parent-Teacher Association, which was started by Mrs. Alice Merne and Mrs. Phoebe Hearst in 1897.

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The house is of a modified early American architecture with a pronounced California adaptation.

Located in a setting of oaks, sycamores and redwoods, the new residence is certain to be one of the most attractive homes of its type in this city when completed.

OBITUARY

PAUL THOMPSON

Funeral services for Paul Thompson, grandson of Mrs. R. H. Thompson of this city, will be held at 10 a.m. today at the Edwards & Cummings Chapel, Pasadena. Mr. Thompson, whose home was at 131 North Raymond Blvd., Los Angeles, died at a Pasadena hospital Monday. He was born in Nebraska and came to California about 9 years ago. He leaves his wife, Mrs. Thelma Thompson; a son, Gary H. Thompson, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson, all of Los Angeles, and two grandmothers, Mrs. R. H. Thompson and Mrs. E. E. Cook, Cozad, Neb.

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STRONG CAST PRESENTS MURDER IN THE CATHEDRAL

In the Pasadena Playhouse showing of "Murder in the Cathedral," the Pacific Coast premiere, Thomas Brown Henry adds a notable characterization as Becket, with important support from Hale McKeen, Earl Gunn, John Fedoruk, Lee Powell, Frederic Warriner and Maurice Copeland. The piece completes its Playhouse run on Saturday, February 20.

Picturesque Pack Trains To Be Only A Memory Soon

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fering with his business and taking away customers from the Orchard Camp by misrepresentation. He then declared he would not permit Chantry's animals on his land except on payment of a toll fee of \$1 per head. Subsequently, he "confiscated" several of Chantry's burros. The case went to court—and a good time was had by all.

Time passed. The townspeople, uniting in a spirit of budding civic pride, decided there "oughta be a law." They didn't like the idea of burro trains tramping up and down the streets at all hours of the day and night, and they particularly didn't like the offensive burro corrals being located right down in the heart of town. Besides they didn't smell so good—and breed flies. So they had the city trustees pass an ordinance excluding burro corrals within the residence district.

The ordinance, however, didn't set well with John Boyd. His corrals on Mountain Trail avenue were doing a thriving business and he wasn't going to give up without a fight. So he sought an injunction against the enforcement of the ordinance.

The case dragged along for months through a series of demurrers, replies and cross-complaints. Finally, on February 20, 1916, Judge Charles Welbourn handed down a decision against Boyd which, once and for all, ousted the corrals from locations along Mountain Trail avenue at the end of the car line and compelled them to seek locations near the foot of the mountains or in the "prescribed" business district. The judge argued a corral where burros were kept for hire was nothing more nor less than "a livery stable with the roof off." Boyd saw the point.

The following May the city trustees confined the burro corrals to the foot of the Wilson Trail. Commenting on the trustees' action, the NEWS declared:

"After being chased over the landscape for a period of seven years, the dove of peace seems about to eat out of the hands of the various parties to the fight over the burro corral problems."

Opening the new Mt. Wilson hotel in 1915 and the opening of the toll road to the general public sounded the initial death knell for the pack trains.

At the time the statement was made that "most people will still prefer the pack trail" rather than the (implied) new-fangled toll road, with its "fast" buses, but this was just so much whistling down the wind.

Other roads were soon opened, and such resorts as Mt. Baldy, Big Pines, Arrowhead and Big Bear attracted more and more business away from camps in the local area as high gear roads were opened into the mountains and it was possible to drive into the hills and camp without hiking.

The building of the high gear extension of Double Drive on the east and the Angeles Crest highway on the west marked the end of the cycle.

Today a cluster of abandoned stores and stables at the foot of the old Wilson Trail are mute evidence of Sierra Madre's "wild west" days.

Over at Mrs. Corum's place a high board fence, which the new owner has built right across the mouth of the canyon, writes finis to the whole period as plainly as if the word was painted across the freshly-cut boards in letters six feet high.

Churches To Observe Lent At Services

Beginning of the Lenten period was observed here this week with Ash Wednesday services at St. Rita's Church and at Church of the Ascension.

Scores of devout Catholics attended the Blessing of the Ashes at St. Rita's Wednesday morning, returning again for the sermon and distribution of the ashes that evening.

In prayer and meditation members of the Roman Catholic and Episcopalian faiths for 40 days will commemorate Christ's retreat into the desert. The period of penance having been accomplished, Christians will, on Easter Sunday, hail the Risen Christ.

Evening devotions are to be held at St. Rita's each Tuesday, when recitation of the rosary, a sermon and benediction of the Blessed Sacrament are prescribed, and each Friday, when the Stations of the Cross are to be recited. Children's Stations will be held at 3 p.m. and those for adults at 7:45 p.m. The Tuesday sermons will be delivered by Fathers from Mater Dolorosa Monastery.

At Church of the Ascension Dean Arnold G. Bode officiated at a morning Ash Wednesday service. Holy Communion services will be held at the church Wednesday mornings at 7:30 o'clock and Thursday mornings at 10 o'clock throughout Lent.

A special feature of the Lenten period at the Church of the Ascension will be a church family box supper each Thursday from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m., to be followed by a short musical service devoted to the learning of modern hymns from the new hymnal.

During Lent Fathers at Mater Dolorosa Monastery will engage in a series of missions which will take them as far away as Salt Lake City, San Francisco and San Diego. Missions will be given at El Monte, Long Beach, Pasadena and Los Angeles. Spanish missions will be given by Father Isadore, C.P. and Father Casmir, C.P.

The Lenten period will be climaxed by the Ore devotions on Good Friday in the public chapel.

Women Told Of Assembly Acts

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with a wide variety of subjects, including old age pensions, shorter hours and higher wages for labor, care of the blind, unemployment relief, the better youth movement, slum clearance, better protection for the workingman, Huntington Beach oil lands and extension of the mortgage moratorium.

One of the bills will do away with the state placing a lien on property of persons applying for old age pensions, will remove the pauper's oath and will provide more liberal allowances. The latter provision, he pointed out, will naturally bear more heavily on the taxpayers.

Mr. Martin emphasized his wholehearted support of bills that would give young people "a chance to work." He pointed out he was co-author of a bill for state slum clearance, and that he introduced the bill extending the moratorium on delinquent taxes.

He asserted the state will spend \$48,000,000 for unemployment relief during the next two years.

The "in lieu" tax on automobiles, he said, has already been extended for two years, with the county getting 40 per cent of the collected taxes.

Looking to the future, the Assemblyman said the legislature already boasts nine potential candidates for governor, seven Republicans and two Democrats.

That they have their eyes on the ballot box two years hence is demonstrated, he said, by the fact that three of the nine gentlemen are attempting to claim the credit for toll reductions on the new Oakland Bay bridge.

Opening his talk, Mr. Martin paid a gracious tribute to Sierra Madre's "friendly atmosphere," declared the city's writers and artists were a "rich asset" and complimented Mrs. W. J. Lawless, presiding chairman, for her efforts towards maintaining the continuity of the Wistaria Fete.

Preceding Mr. Martin's talk, Alfred James Dewey outlined prospects for a future art center at the "Old Adobe" studio. The idea, he said, would be to have a permanent gallery alongside and "Old Adobe," with shops and studios as an adjunct, following out the lines of the present Padua Hills setup. Rents from the shops and studios would make the gallery self-supporting, he said. Suggesting an art school be included in the project, Mr. Dewey quoted a representative of the Stickney School in Pasadena who described Sierra Madre as "the most logical place outside Los Angeles for an art school."

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Observing National Boy Scout Week, Stovall stressed the importance of the Boy Scout oath and code of ethics in later life, and discussed the value of the Scout movement in providing better citizens through training and character development.

Local Kiwanians will attend a division meeting at Pomona next Tuesday, February 16.

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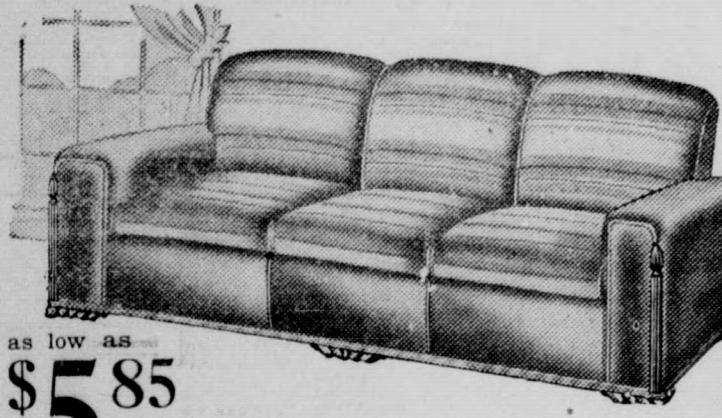
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15—Battleship Maine blown up in Havana harbor, 1898.
16—United States buys Panama canal property, 1903.
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Horsemen at Santa Anita voluntarily contributed \$3500 to the Red Cross, the Turf Club starting the list with \$1000.

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Definite action against the old fashioned type of smudge pots, which researchers declare lower rather than raise temperatures in citrus groves by shutting out the sunlight with clouds of dense oily smoke, was voted by the

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THREE STATES WILL
HOLD THEIR PICNICS

The annual picnic reunion of the Minnesotans in California, resident and visiting, will be held all day, Saturday, February 20th in Sycamore Grove Park.

The annual picnic reunion of the Idahoans in Southern California will be held all day, Sunday, February 21st, in Sycamore Grove Park.

The Montana State Society will hold its annual picnic reunion Monday, February 22nd at Sycamore Grove Park. Los Angeles.

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Consolidated

Announcement was made yesterday of the consolidation of the real estate and insurance businesses of City Judge Tom W. Neale and Mrs. Cecily A. Allen. The consolidation became effective at noon and transfers Mrs. Allen's real estate and insurance business to Judge Neale, who will

continue to operate the consolidated business at 86 West Sierra Madre Blvd., opposite the City Hall.

In announcing the sale of her business to Judge Neale Mrs. Allen said yesterday it is probable she will enter a more specialized type of business in the future, along the line of property development.

Judge Neale needs no recommendation as a real estate and insurance man will carry on the business with his customary efficiency," Mrs. Allen said.

From the current issue of the SIERRA MADRE NEWS

Value Of Good, Early
Training Stressed
At Kiwanis Club

Dennis H. Stovall, newspaper writer and one of the city's early Scout leaders, was guest speaker at Tuesday's noon meeting of Sierra Madre Kiwanis Club.

Observing National Boy Scout Week, Stovall stressed the importance of the Boy Scout oath and code of ethics in later life, and discussed the value of the Scout movement in providing better citizens through training and character development.

Local Kiwanians will attend a division meeting at Pomona next Tuesday, February 16.

Semi-Annual PENNEY DAYS MONROVIA

Here are just a few of the many bargains we are offering in this store-wide event. Market prices are on the up-trend. Take advantage of this opportunity to really *Save!*

Luncheon Cloths	all linen	\$1.00 ea.
Curtain Marquisettes	Plain Fancy	10c yd.
FANCY Outing Flannel	36-inch	15c yd.
Double Blankets	Part Wool	\$1.98
New Tone Prints	ONLY	10c yd.
White Outing	27-inch	8 1/2c yd.
WHITE Sheet Blankets	70x99 only	98c ea.
Amoskeag Ginghams	Fine Finish	15c yd.
Ladies Outing Gowns		79c ea.
Rayon Bedspreads	84x105	\$1.49
LADIES Shoes Repriced	Black, Brown Pumps, Ties	\$1.97 pr.
Boys Fancy Dress Shirts		39cea.
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BOYS All Wool Sweaters	Only	97c ea
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RUBY BRACELET, two line straight row, containing 104 fine Oriental rubies weighing 36 1/4 carats, set in 10% iridium-platinum, valued at \$3600, for \$1950

STRAIGHT LINE RUBY BRACELET set with 43 large Oriental rubies weighing 35 1/4 carats, set in 10% iridium-platinum, valued at \$3400, for \$1850

LADY'S BEAUTIFUL BRACELET, contains 296 fine blue-white Diamonds, 6 fine Oriental rubies weighing 9 1/2 carats, 10% iridium-platinum, valued at \$2000, for \$1150

LADY'S PLATINUM BRACELET set with 12 emerald leaves, 6 blue leaves, all hand carved, 137 full cut round Diamonds, 36 baguette Diamonds, a gorgeous creation, valued at \$2500 for \$1250

PLATINUM CLIP PIN containing 12 emeralds, 63 full cut Diamonds, 15 baguette Diamonds, 1 Marquise Diamond, valued at \$1500 for \$850

PLATINUM DOUBLE CLIP can be worn as a brooch, containing 136 fine full cut round Diamonds, 72 baguette Diamonds, 6 fine emeralds, a gorgeous creation, valued at \$3750 for \$1950

PLATINUM RING with 2 baguette Diamonds, very fine emeralds weighing 6 1/2 carats, valued at \$20,000 for \$11,000

PLATINUM RING with baguette Diamonds, very fine emerald weighing 7 1/2 carats, valued at \$16,000 for \$9000

PLATINUM RING with baguette Diamonds, very fine emerald weighing 3 1/2 carats, valued at \$5000 for \$2600

PLATINUM RING with baguette Diamonds, very fine emerald weighing 3 1/2 carats, valued at \$3600 for \$1900

PLATINUM RING WITH BAGUETTE DIAMONDS, very fine emerald weighing 2 1/4 carats, valued at \$2200 for \$1200

STRING GENUINE ORIENTAL PEARLS, 138 pearls weighing 105 grains, platinum Marquise Diamond clasp, valued at \$3000, for \$850

STRING CULTURED PEARLS, very fine lustre, 98 pearls weighing 216 grains, platinum clasp with 16 fine blue-white Diamonds, genuine pearl center, valued at \$250, for \$75

LADY'S PLATINUM WRIST WATCH with platinum bracelet attached, contains 145 fine blue-white Diamonds, Geneva movement with four adjustments, valued at \$1750, for \$550

GORGEOUS BAGUETTE WRIST WATCH, 10% iridium-platinum, contains 72 fine blue-white Diamonds, 8 baguette Diamonds, two platinum slides have 10 large baguette Diamonds, valued at \$1250, for \$475

LADY'S PLATINUM WRIST WATCH with platinum bracelet attached, watch and bracelet contain 160 fine blue-white round Diamonds, 16 baguette Diamonds, fine adjusted Geneva movement, valued at \$1450, for \$650

LADY'S SMALL ROUND PLATINUM WRIST WATCH with fancy ends, contains 20 Diamonds, 17-jewel Geneva movement, valued at \$150, for \$58

LADIES' PLATINUM BAGUETTE WATCHES set with 24 Diamonds, 17-jewel Waltham movement \$35

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Announcement
By Tom W. Neale

Effective this date I have bought and assumed control of the real estate and insurance business heretofore conducted by Mrs. C. A. Allen at 18 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, adding to my strong list of insurance agencies the biggest and most reliable of the great companies until now represented in this community by Mrs. Allen.

I have assumed personal charge of and will devote my entire time and attention to the insurance feature of the consolidated business, so that my clients—new and old—will have the benefit of my long experience in writing all kinds of insurance. It will be a major feature of the business—not a sideline.

I have appointed Mr. Joe T. Russell to take charge of the real estate and rental departments and he will specialize in this particular line, giving our clients the benefit of his knowledge of local real estate values. He will be glad to list your property and has many inquiries for homes here.

Better let me inquire into your insurance coverage and needs and advise you. No obligation on your part.

T. W. NEALE

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